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Sir.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. %61.56, 1.97, and 1.98. Applicants wish to bring the references, listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner. Most of the references were cited by the German Patent Office during the prosecution of priority application DE 10 2004 016 400, in a search report dated 16 FEB. 2005 or by the European Patent Office during the International Phase in a search report dated 4 JUL, 2005; copies of these search reports are enclosed, USP 6,549,408, BERCHOWITZ, was mentioned on page 1 of the present specification. The literature references are included as background info on refrigerants. The Joule-Thomson process is background info re throttle 62. USP 4,450,896 (OPITZ+/SIEMENS) is included because it appears related in subject-matter to SIEMENS DE 32 06 059 (KOCH/MAGES/OPITZ/THIEME) which has no direct English-language equivalent. The copies of the DE and INT'L search reports suffice to make the relevance of all the references readily apparent. Therefore, this submission complies with MPEP ≤ 609.

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No representation is made that more pertinent, although presently unknown, art does not exist. It is anticipated that the Examiner will conduct a thorough search of the prior art and will carefully consider the document submitted herewith.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to return an initialled copy of form PTO-1449, to confirm that the reference has been considered.

Early examination and allowance of the present application are respectfully solicited. No fee is believed required; if any is required, it may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0442.

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